AN ACT to provide immunity from civil action to members of the legislature of this state for acts done pursuant to duty as legislators; to prohibit members of the legislature of this state from being made parties to contested cases or other administrative proceedings for acts done pursuant to duty as legislators; and to provide for certain exemptions from subpoenas.


The People of the State of Michigan enact:

4.551 Liability of legislator in civil action.
Sec. 1. A member of the legislature of this state shall not be liable in a civil action for any act done by him or her pursuant to his or her duty as a legislator.


4.552 Legislator as party in contested case or other administrative proceeding.
Sec. 2. A member of the legislature of this state shall not be made a party in a contested case, as defined in section 3 of the administrative procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.203, or any other administrative proceeding for any act committed by that legislator while performing his or her duty as a legislator.


4.553 Subpoena as to statements made by legislator.
Sec. 3. A member of the legislature shall not be subject to a subpoena for any matter involving statements made by the legislator pursuant to his or her duty as a legislator.


4.554 Subpoena duces tecum.
Sec. 4. The legislative files, recordings, tapes, records, memoranda, or written documents of a member of the legislature shall not be subject to a subpoena duces tecum in a civil action, contested case, or other administrative proceeding. This section shall not apply to the files, recordings, tapes, records, memoranda, or written documents of a committee, subcommittee, commission, or council of the legislature.


4.555 Conditional effective date.
Sec. 5. This act shall not take effect unless all of the following bills of the 82nd Legislature are enacted into law:
(a) Senate Bill No. 437.
(b) Senate Bill No. 438.
